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ENTIRE FAMILY PERISHES.

J. T. Price, His Four Children, Niece
 and Stepdaughter Burned Beyond Recognition During the Destruction of
 Their Dwelling.

Sherman, April 13.—At Gunter, this county, eighteen miles southwest, the residence of J. T. Price was destroyed by fire at 4 o'clock this morning.

Mr. Price and his family, consisting of five children, a stepdaughter and a niece, were burned to death. The dead are:

J. T. Price.
 Miss Belle Price, twenty years old
 Miss Annie Price, eighteen years old.

Home Price, sixteen years old.
 Elmer Price, fourteen years old.
 Fay Price, six years old.

Miss Jettie Byers, seventeen years old, Mr. Price's stepdaughter.

Aline Upchurch, a niece, who resided with the family.

Mr. Price, who was a wealthy widower, is supposed to have attempted to start a fire in the kitchen stove with kerosene oil. The oil is thought to have exploded, killing him instantly. The rest were burned while sleeping upstairs. They were all burned beyond recognition.

M. W. Elmer, a neighbor, made the shocking discovery.

OLCOTT'S SUCCESSOR.

Mrs. Annie Besant Has Been Nominated For President.

Kansas City, April 13.—Official announcement was received in this city by a member of the local branch of the society of the nomination of Mrs. Annie Besant as world president of the Theosophical society to succeed the late Colonel Henry Steele Olcott, president and founder of the organization. Colonel Olcott, an old New York newspaper man and veteran of the civil war, died recently following his return to India from Chicago, where he attended the annual convention of the American section. The official announcement states that on his deathbed he formally named Mrs. Besant, who for years had been his co-worker, to succeed him, a prerogative which he held. The nomination must be ratified by a two-thirds vote of the societies of the world. The vote will soon be taken. Mrs. Besant is coming to America from India in June.

STOCKTON'S DEEDS.

Shoots Uncle, Beats Aunt and Attempts to Burn Latter.

Bardwell, Ky., April 13.—Ed Stockton, seventeen years old, the son of Guilford Stockton, a farmer, shot and fatally wounded his uncle, J. F. Stockton, beat his uncle's wife into insensibility with the butt end of a gun, saturated her clothing with coal oil and attempted to set her on fire. Both victims are in a dying condition. Stockton was arrested. There is intense excitement and violence to the prisoner was threatened. Authorities took precautions to protect him. It is believed by some the youth is demented.

Killed in Runaway.

Bonham, Tex., April 13.—Near Gopher Anse Hasinger was killed in a runaway.

New Bank Building.

Kaufman, Tex., April 13.—First National bank will erect a \$25,000 building.

THAW JURY DISAGREES.

Seven For First Degree Murder Conviction.

DISCHARGED BY JUSTICE.

Most Noted Criminal Case In Number of Years Not Settled Owing to the Twelve Men Chosen to Pass on It Unable to Decide.

New York, April 13.—Hopelessly divided—seven for a verdict of guilty of murder in the first degree and five for acquittal on the ground of insanity—the jury which, since Jan. 23, has been trying Harry K. Thaw, reported after forty-seven hours and eight minutes, that it could not possibly agree. The twelve men were promptly discharged by Justice Fitzgerald, who declared that he, too, believed their task hopeless. Thaw was remanded to the toms without bail to await a second trial on the charge of having murdered Stanford White, the noted architect.

When this new trial will take place no one connected with the case could express an opinion. District Attorney Jerome declared that there were many other persons accused of homicide awaiting trial, and that Thaw would have to take his turn. As to a possible change of venue, both the district attorney and counsel for Thaw declared they would make no such move.

The scenes attending the announcement by the jury of its inability to agree were robbed of theatricalism by the general belief that after their long deliberation and the reports of a wide division of sentiment, the jurors could make no other report.

Thaw, surrounded by the members of his family—the devoted aged mother, the pale young wife, the titled sister, the Countess of Yarmouth, Mrs. George Carnegie and Edward and Josiah Thaw, the brothers, received the news in absolute silence.

When it became known that the jury was about to report, Thaw called his wife to a seat by his side, and sat with his right hand thrown about her until he was commanded to stand and face the jurors. Smiling and confident as he entered the court room, he sank limply into his chair when Foreman Deming B. Smith, in response to a question by Clerk Penny as to whether a verdict had been agreed upon, said: "We have not."

The mother, her features hidden behind a dense veil of black, sat stolid and motionless. In ill health of late, she had felt severely the strain of the long hours of anxious waiting. The wife gripped her husband's hand tightly as the jury foreman spoke, and then, when he sank down by her side, she tried to cheer him as best she could by saying that she believed he would now be admitted to bail, and that a second jury would surely set him free.

The mother, the sisters and the brothers, pale and well nigh exhausted by their tedious, nerve-racking wait for a verdict, smiled weakly at Thaw as he was led away again to the toms. They were permitted to speak with him for a few minutes to bid him be of good cheer before he crossed the bridge of sighs to the cell which, until a few minutes before, he had hoped that he was about to quit forever.

Outside the big square court building only a few hundred persons were gathered. Thousands had been there earlier in the day, but the police had instructions to keep every one moving, and soon this tired the idly curious. Inside the building, in the gallery and overlooking the court and gathered along the corridors, were groups of more fortunate persons who had been able to make their way past

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SOCIAL and Club Matters

The Ladies Choral Club had a well attended meeting at Carnegie Hall yesterday afternoon. More than twenty of the ladies were present for practice which is now going on in preparation for the trip to Fort Worth in May, when the great English singing festival takes place. The Bryan club will not only sing in the massed choruses, but has been invited to sing an individual number. Mrs. Ed Hall is president of the club, Miss Bradbury accompanist, and Prof. Frederick Eillebridge director.

Prof. Lillebridge, who has had wide experience in musical matters, regards the invitation to sing an individual number as a very high compliment to the club, and he and the ladies share in the determination that the club shall acquit itself creditably, which there is every reason to believe it will do. A double number has been selected, "Gone By," by Bargiel, and "Now the Day is Departed," by Raff. For the massed choruses the club is practicing "Hail, Bright Abode," from Wagner's opera of Tannhauser, and "The Heavens Are Telling," from Haydn's Oratorio of the Creation.

The volume and quality of the tone of the club are very fine and constantly improving, and Prof. Lillebridge is enthusiastic about the outlook for the future of the club, as it will hereafter be recognized as one of the strong musical factors of the state, in addition to its splendid and educative local influence on musical sentiment.

The members of the club who will attend are as follows: Mesdames Ed. Hall, W. C. Davis, H. O. Boatwright, W. S. Wilson, Tyler Haswell, J. A. McQueen, Webb Howell, J. B. Sanders, Nellie Ballard, F. M. Law, Luther Taylor, M. Francis, John R. McCall, F. Lillebridge, and Misses Emily Peale, Jane Glass, Irma Bradbury, Gussie Buchanan, Bertha Roberts, Leola Coulter, Nannie Lou Betts, Lillian Killough, Nannie Berryman, Hettie Smith, Irma Bradbury and Prof. Lillebridge.

The A. & M. College Glee Club, which will also attend the Ft. Worth festival, is recognized throughout the state for its excellence. The Glee Club will give a concert on this city on Friday night, April 16.

The pretty home of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Johnson in the southern part of the city was the scene of a lovely dinner Friday evening at 7 o'clock given by Miss Laura Dunlap, sister of Mrs. Johnson, in compliment to her friend and guest, Miss Rose McDonald of Houston, and a friend of the latter, Mr. Garland Lang, who was here from Sherman with the Austin College

baseball team. The menu cards simulated a rose in compliment to the guest of honor and were tied with the Austin College colors. Small white fans for the young ladies and diminutive base balls for the young man were the favors. Pretty, tasteful decorations and elegant table service, together with the perfect cuisine, left nothing to be desired by the fortunate guests. Those present were: Misses Rose McDonald, Gussie Buchanan, Irma Harris, Adeline Sanders, Laura Dunlap; Messrs. Garland Lang, Carey Brooks, D. F. Diggs, S. W. Dunlap.

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Mr. and Mrs. Edward Hoffman of Brenham entertained members of the Astin family, and Messrs. F. C. Oliver and A. A. Farley, who went to Brenham for the Astin-Harrison wedding, with a lovely dinner party Tuesday afternoon at 1 o'clock. It was a notably pleasant occasion socially and the dinner was elegantly prepared and served. The members of the congenial company are under many obligations to Mr. and Mrs. Hoffman for the courtesy.

Miss Eldridge also gave a charming party to members of the family and the wedding party on Monday evening. The brides of the double wedding were recipients of showers of social courtesies previous to the wedding.

The Embroidery Club held a charming meeting Thursday afternoon with Mrs. G. W. Emory as hostess. The rooms were sweet with cut flowers and a pleasant hour or two was spent with needle work, after which the company was regaled with strawberry ice cream and cake. The club will meet next Saturday afternoon at 4 o'clock with Mrs. Fred Pryor at the home of Mrs. W. H. Webb.

Mrs. Jno. M. Lawrence entertained Wednesday at the Fin-Feather Club lake complimentary to her sister-in-law, Mrs. Mal Webb of El Paso. A few lady friends were invited to share the pleasures of the day, which included games, rowing, fishing and a luncheon served in courses. Those present were Mesdames Mal Webb,



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The Bachelorettes Club met Friday afternoon with Miss Alliee Conway. About fifteen young ladies were present and spent a delightful afternoon with "Hearts" as the medium of amusement. Following the games the popular hostess served a tempting salad course. The club will hold no more meetings until after the commencement season, after which the first meeting will be held with the president, Miss Gussie Buchanan.

PRESBYTERY HELD BUSINESS SESSIONS.

Elected Commissioners to General Assembly and Appointed Bay City as Next Meeting Place—Other Matters

Yesterday was given over principally to business sessions at the meeting of the Brazos Presbytery. The reading of minutes, reports, etc., occupied the morning session until eleven o'clock, when Rev. F. E. Fincher of Houston preached on "Christ," the text being from I Corinthians, ii, 2: "For I am determined not to know anything among you, save Jesus Christ and Him crucified."

At the afternoon session Rev. G. W. Story of Houston was elected commissioner to the general assembly at Birmingham in May; Dr. J. D. West of this city, alternate. E. B. Lomax of Bryan was elected principal lay commissioner; J. A. Jones of Somerville, alternate. Bay City was selected as the next meeting place for the Presbytery.

Rev. E. N. Bradshaw received yesterday afternoon and accepted a call to the pastorate of the Lubbock street church in Houston. This has heretofore been a mission church supplied by Rev. Bradshaw, but it has had a splendid growth, and now calls him regularly as pastor at a salary of \$1,000 a year.

The work of the Presbytery may be concluded Monday night, but will more likely continue over a part of Tuesday. Today will be devoted entirely to religious services, as heretofore announced. Dr. R. M. Hall's sermon at the Presbyterian church at 11 o'clock will be on "Miracles."

Prudence and good business judgment suggest that you should at all times keep your life and property well insured. Consult Jno. B. Hines for anything in the insurance line. Office in Smith Building Phone 161.

SPECIAL SESSION.

Both Branches Promptly Begin Operations.

Austin, April 13.—Eleven bills relating to three general subjects mentioned in the governor's proclamation were introduced in the house and senate Friday afternoon. In most instances the bills introduced are copies of bills that failed during the regular session. This is especially true of the tax bills. Whatever changes may have been made in them are mostly of verbiage. These bills cover the five divisions into which the governor, in his proclamation, divided the subject of taxation. These are the intangible tax assets measure, the gross tax bill, that doubling the franchise tax, the charter fee bill and several measures intended to bring about the rendition of property at its full value. This last named problem is approached from four or five sides.

The senate elected E. J. Roberts of Grayson county sergeant-at-arms. The senate adopted the regular session's rules. Four committees clerks, five pages and five porters were retained. Assistant enrolling clerk, assistant engrossing clerk and assistant doorkeeper were dispensed with.

Senator Barrett of Fannin county was elected president pro tem. of the senate by unanimous vote. Senators Skinner, Brachfield and Watson were appointed to notify the house of the senate's organization, and Senators Paulus, Chambers and Murray were appointed to similarly notify the governor.

All of the new officers were sworn in.

In the house the speaker was empowered to retain such employees as he deemed necessary, with an amendment that the stenographers be not permitted to furnish service to persons not house members.

A resolution by Mr. Graham, providing that each member of the house be allowed \$10 and the sergeant-at-arms and chief clerk be allowed \$5 for stamps during the special session was adopted by a vote of 66 to 25.

A resolution by Mr. Graham providing that each member be allowed to subscribe to two daily papers at the cost of the state, not to exceed 75 cents per month each, was adopted.

A resolution by Messrs. Peeler and King providing that the entire list of pages and porters be retained at the same salary was adopted.

Twenty-seven house bills were read first time and referred.

A negro slashed a young lady at Dallas opposite the postoffice with a knife, almost severing a thumb.

Carl and Grace Paternostro, a little brother and sister, died within a few hours of each other at Dallas.

Will Rutherford, a negro, was convicted at Greenville, Tex., on charge of criminal assault and was given ten years.

In a crowded street car at Dallas a negro took two shots at another of his race. Nobody was hit, but a panic came near resulting.

Ten million lottery tickets, representing, if they had been sold at face value, \$5,000,000, and costing over \$10,000 to lithograph, were burned at San Antonio by Federal officials.

CONDUCTOR HAS BEEN SECURED

Superintendent Holland of the Hearne Public Schools Will Head the Bryan Normal Faculty.

Prof. Holland, superintendent of the Hearne public schools, has been selected as conductor of the summer normal for white teachers which will be held in this city, opening June 4 and closing July 8. Prof. Holland is an experienced teacher and comes highly recommended. As previously announced the Brazos county teachers' institute elected Prof. J. D. Willis of this city, and Prof. R. McDonald of Harvey, as assistants, both of whom are well qualified, making the faculty a strong one.

The Brazos and Robertson county teachers will join forces in this normal and it is expected that the attendance will be increased by teachers from other surrounding counties. The prospects of the normal are therefore regarded as highly favorable.

"BLONDWOOD" HAS ADMIRERS.

"Blondwood," the beautiful chestnut stallion owned by Mr. Sam Higgs of this city, and purchased by Mr. Higgs at Reagan, Falls county, has many admirers in Falls and adjoining counties, as well as in Brazos county, although he has been here only a short time. Brood mares are being sent from these counties to Bryan. G. P. Cain of Kosse is here with a shipment of several good mares.

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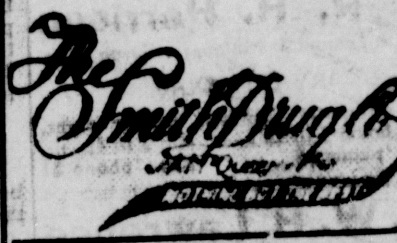
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"Other experimenters have succeeded in keeping eggs to their entire satisfaction in solutions of water glass as dilute as 5 per cent, but the author's experience was that stronger solution gave a better preservation. It seems probably that solution halfway between the two which were used, in strength, would be better than either of these, since would doubtless give a better product than the weaker solution and would not deposit sediment, thereby losing strength, as the stronger solution did.

"The cost of preserving eggs in water glass solution of the strength described, exclusive of the containers, would be less than one cent per dozen. Water glass can be obtained of any wholesale drug firm at a cost of about 10 cents per pound, and a pound of it properly diluted should be sufficient to cover or 15 dozen eggs, the exact amount required depending upon the size and shape of the container. Any vessel which will hold water and which can be covered tight enough to prevent evaporation

will do as a container for eggs put up in this way. Stone jars are preferable, as they are very easily cleaned and prevent evaporation almost perfectly. Wooden kegs can be used, but in this case care must be observed to see that the solution does not become too strong on account of the water absorbed from the solution by the keg."

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"To each 15 quarts of water add one quart of water glass. Pack the eggs into the jar and pour the liquid over them, covering the eggs completely. Do not wash the eggs before packing them, as this may injure their keeping qualities by removing a natural protective coating on the outside of the shells.

"Keep the eggs packed in this manner in a cool, dark place, such as a dry, cool cellar.

"Each day's gathering of eggs may be packed immediately after gathering by placing them in the jar and pouring over them just enough of the liquid to cover them. This is better than to hold the eggs for several days at the risk of their becoming stale in order to have a sufficient number to fill the entire vessel at one time. In some of the warmer sections of the State, during the summer months, the temperature often rises high enough to start incubation in eggs. In such localities eggs must be packed soon after they are laid or kept in some cool place until they are packed.

"Water glass is a somewhat alkaline liquid, but the diluted solution is not injurious to the hands if they are dipped into it in packing successive gatherings of eggs, or in removing the eggs from the solution."

It is stated that eggs packed by this method will keep for some time (as long as four weeks) after they have been taken out of the preservative solution.

GENERAL PROSPERITY'S REGIME.

The Undeniable Signs of His Master Handiwork.

The best indication of the prosperity of a country, and the faith of the people in its future, is shown by the establishment of new enterprises. Taking this as a criterion, there was never before a time in Texas when there was greater prosperity or a greater faith on the part of its inhabitants as to what the future has in store for them agriculturally, industrially and financially. From day to day from all sections of the State, come items to the News telling of companies for the building of new factories and various other industrial enterprises. The people appear to be awakening to a clearer realization of the opportunities and advantages possessed by them in the various branches of business, and investors are showing less hesitancy in putting their money into establishments of an industrial character in the South, but more particularly in Texas. They are beginning to understand that this State is possessed of more resources in an agricultural and industrial way than any other, and this, added to the prosperity of those concerns already established, give the man with means confidence in the desirability of investment in Texas enterprises. As emphasizing this fact, the following items are given, the first from Ennis:

A meeting of business men was held here last night to discuss the matter of building a cotton mill in Ennis. W. D. Farris was chosen as chairman and J. P. Chambers secretary. It was declared the sense of the meeting to undertake to build a \$100,000 cotton factory, and about one-fourth of the necessary capital was there subscribed. A. H. Dunkerley, R. B. White and E. Raphael were appointed to solicit subscriptions for stock. Ike Jalesch and J. P. Chambliss were appointed to visit cotton mills in other towns and investigate conditions and get statistics. Capt. Grove of Dallas was present and assisted in discussing the matter.

Haskell, an enterprising little city of the West, furnishes the following:

The citizens of Haskell met with the Haskell Commercial Club last night, and the various interests of the town were discussed. A committee was appointed to secure an oil mill, said committee to take up the matter with parties who had been figuring on locating one at this place, and it was instructed to make such efforts as would be necessary to secure the mill, the citizens backing the committee in whatever deal it might see fit to make. A committee was named to secure a cotton factory, and this committee began its work at once, and \$24,000 was subscribed to this enterprise. Plans have also been laid for incorporating the town. Haskell has now a population of 3,000 or more.

Then Sulphur Springs, Hopkins County, contributes to the good work in this:

The business men of Sulphur Springs and Hopkins County have concluded to build a cotton mill of their own. The committee which visited Bonham on a tour of inspection of the cotton mill there made a very favorable report.

Mansfield, Tarrant County, tells us that "the capital for a \$22,000 oil mill has been secured, and organization will be affected as soon as possible." And Mount Pleasant, Titus County, demonstrates the fact that it is keeping up with the procession. A dispatch to the News from there says: "The peanut factory is now an assured industry for Mount Pleasant. The capital stock of \$10,000 has all been subscribed for, and work will begin on the building." Peanuts are one of the most profitable crops the Texas farmer has in his catalogue, yet there are comparatively few who cultivate them to the extent that their importance would seem to warrant.

It becomes more apparent every day to those who have not before been acquainted with the fact that Grand Old Texas is furnishing all kinds of labor for those who want work, all sorts of opportunities for those who wish to establish manufacturing enterprises, and the best of investments for the man with means.—Dallas News.

McDonald's Assessment Proposition. State Revenue Agent McDonald's letter to the tax assessors of the State, requiring them to assess all property at its full value, has created considerable talk throughout the State, and a great many people seriously object to this law being enforced. Of course, it would be

unreasonable to have property rendered this way and allow the tax rate to remain as it is, and unless the commissioners' court of this county meets and makes a new rate it will be out of the question to suppose that the people will stand for such an assessment. We believe this law should be enforced, but we believe that before it is done the rate of taxation should be lowered. The State and counties respectively have no use for the large amount of revenue this increased valuation would bring in at the present rate, except for the benefit of grafters.—Florence Vidette.

"Stringing 'Em Up."

A farmer went into a grocery store in Decatur the other day and purchased a lamp chimney. The clerk wrapped it up, but forgot to break the string. The purchaser, not noticing the clerk's error, picked up the article and walked out, the twine slowly unwinding behind him. A big fat drummer had his hat lifted by the twine, and cursed. A lawyer's glasses were raised from his nose and fell with a tingle to the sidewalk—he swore. A "ripe banana" vender caught it under his ear and Russian language, with a deep, blue tint, punctured the atmosphere. The clerk, by this time, noticed his mistake, and ran out, telling the farmer to "hold on." The farmer turned and the twine sawed the clerk across the left eye. The clerk—well, we haven't enough dashes on hand to properly illustrate his language; anyway, he made the Russian blush clean through his whiskers. A little blaze sometimes causes a great big combustion.—Decatur News.

Have You Tried Anything?

In this issue of the News is the story of the introduction of the Easter lily into the Bermuda Islands. Read the article and you can readily see how it may be possible for our experiment club to do a great service for Jack county. It does not take a very old settler to remember the time when people said that fruit and vegetables would not grow here; now we have a surplus every year. When peaches and plums were proven to be a success, it was said they were all right, but apples and pears would not thrive. Apples and pears have proven a success. Other things will prove a success when properly handled. Join the experiment club and help do something for your country.—Jacksboro News.

Better Keep Roads Repaired.

It is announced that the Government will look more carefully to the enforcement of its rule regarding the roads over which rural free delivery is established. The present requirement is: "Roads traversed shall be kept in good condition and unobstructed by gates; there must be no unbridged creeks or streams not fordable at any season of the year." In many cases the residents along the proposed routes have made improvements that enable them to obtain rural delivery service, but sometimes the efforts to keep the roads are relaxed. But the Government has decided that unless the roads traveled by the carriers are properly maintained, the service will be withdrawn. The postoffice department now calls on the carriers for reports on the roads and will stop the service where the highways in question are bad.

The 35,973 rural delivery carriers now employed cover 863,363 miles daily, and it is unreasonable to expect them to contend with neglected roads or to work for communities lacking the enterprise to keep their common highways in decent shape. Wherever a route is discontinued, the inhabitants themselves will be to blame for it, for if alive to their own interest and their duty to the public they would give their roads vigorous and constant attention. The idea that a route once authorized is necessarily permanent is a mistake. Advice on the best road methods is supplied by the United States Department of Agriculture free of charge.

Salt Well in the West.

S. B. Williams, of Royston, was in the city Wednesday and while here called to see us. Mr. Williams told us that Mr. Reeves, a farmer living half a mile from Royston, while digging a well on his place, struck a salt bed, which was examined by experienced salt men and pronounced to be the best salt well in West Texas. A company has been organized and a salt factory established and the matter pushed for all it is worth. The names of the stockholders will be published later. If it proves to be what it is believed to be, it will be a great thing for Royston and West Texas.

PRECIOUS METALS IN TEXAS.

The Department Gives Out Some Statements.

During the year 1905 the State of Texas produced 378,500 ounces of fine silver, valued at \$234,054, and 12 fine ounces of gold, equivalent to \$248. Compared with the production of 1904 this represents an increase of 1,930 ounces of silver in quantity, and of \$20119 in value, and 3 ounces of gold, equivalent to \$62.

Copper, lead and zinc are not reported from the state. Mercury ores are mined in Brewster county, but are not accompanied by gold or silver.

Six gold and silver mines are operating in the state, but there is only one which works on a large scale—the Shafter mine in Presidio county. There are no large placer mines in the state. The ore treated amounted to 22,345 tons, and its average value in gold and silver per ton was \$1.49, practically the whole of this value representing silver.

El Paso and Presidio were the only counties which contributed to the production. El Paso county contains prospects in the Guadalupe Mountains, near the New Mexico boundary line. Tin has been found in the Franklin mountain. The Hazel mine in the Diable Mountains, ten miles north of Allamore station, has been worked in former years, and is said to have produced much silver and copper. A number of small mines and prospects are located in Sierra Blanca, and some of these were producers in 1905. The whole of the small gold production of the state came from this district. Presidio county produces silver. The Shafter mines, which has been worked successfully for a number of years, is developed by a vertical shaft 700 feet deep. The ore is reduced in a fifteen-foot stamp mill.

Makes You Stop and Think!

The Senate fashion plate for the new spring styles is rapidly being made up, and it differs somewhat from the prevailing styles of society. Reds, grays and blues, with lilac and brown trimmed bonnets, do not cut much figure in this season's styles, for stripes appear much more attractive than either solid or dotted goods. In fact, most every bill being brought up carries with it either a good, stiff county jail sentence or the usual "not less than two nor more than," etc. It's no trouble at all to break into the penitentiary under the provisions of a great many of the bills now pending or already passed, and if Methuselah of some of those old-time 600 and 700-year-olds were residents of Texas now, they could start in at an age before they were entitled to vote and spend the remainder of their days in the pen by violating some of the laws now being placed on the statute books. Just think of Solomon, with his 700 wives and a few hundred lady friends on the side! Suppose he were in Texas now, and would like to amuse say about 600 of these with a friendly game of dominoes, only playing one game with each wife. His fines would be, on a plea of guilty, \$25 in each case, or a total of \$15,000, and at the rate of ten days in jail for each case, he would have to stay in hoc 6000 days. That would be 16 1-2 years. At the expiration of his term, if he returned home out of humor and investigated his cost bill and found he had been overcharged about 15 cents in each case, he could easily get even by having the officer who overcharged him sent to the charcoal pits of the pen for 1200 years—two years in each case.—Houston Chronicle.

Grow Old Gracefully.

Age, viewed rightly, is after all, not a thing to be regretted. It is but a process and stage of growth, the full fruition of living whereby we fall from this round of existence to rise to a higher one. It is the sign of endurance, the badge of honor, and the liveliest of wisdom.

No man, if he tried it for a while, would really arrest time in its flight and stay the advance of age, except, perhaps, in its outward manifestations, the gray hair, the wrinkles and the feeble step. If for youth and ruddy cheeks and the pulse of bounding life, he has to pay the price of wisdom which living brings, and hold indefinitely in foolish immaturity, stand still in the world's great march of progress, be the one ungracious stagnant thing in a universe of change and growth, few, even among vain women, would make the bargain.

Age brings a serenity that youth or middle life does not know. The crude egotism of youth, the grasping selfishness of acquisitive middle

life are follies upon which age looks down with pitying smile. After all it is but little of happiness that hot, heady, impulsive youth knows. Moments, perhaps of exaltation are his but hours of depression. From thirty to forty is often the blackest period of life, for the illusions of youth have passed or are passing and the faith of age has not emerged.

Past the pleasing age of forty begins, as a rule, a perception of life's true perspective, the ability to look at the mountain peaks without being worried because they dwarf this small age, which is our personality. When that is achieved we are then in a fair way to grow old gracefully and to learn by living the great lesson of life.

Why, then, should we fear the so-called "ravages of time" which is but an exchanging of the baser coin of the material for the pure gold of the mental and the spiritual? For what we get must pay inevitably, and certainly such an exchange is no robbery.—San Antonio Express.

Texas Needs You!

Texas controls 38,000,000 acres of land applied to the support of the educational system. Over 15,000 teachers occupy desks in the public schools. Its permanent free school fund is represented in

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| State Bonds | \$2,183,100.00 |
| County Bonds | 3,915,556.00 |
| Railroad Bonds | 1,603,317.00 |
| Municipal Bonds | 91,547.55 |
| Land Notes | 13,101,330.78 |
| Lands valued at | 20,613,527.00 |

Total \$41,508,378.93

This is the largest free school fund of any state in the Union, or in any country in the whole world. Every person who comes to Texas becomes a joint owner in this great fund, and their children will fully enjoy their share of all its grand benefits without cost and without price.

The Twelfth United States Census credits Texas with 352,190, the largest number of any of the States, with a total valuation of \$964,476,273. We now have over 400,000 farms, with a total value of \$1,345,286,372. The value of livestock is placed at \$250,000,000, and of farm products at \$290,000,000. The state's taxable value increased from \$170,473,778 in 1870 to \$1,682,779,775 in 1905. During the same period the railroad mileage increased from 771 miles to over 12,000 miles. Forty-four miles are under construction now. This places Texas first in the matter of railroad mileage among the states.

Texas has several excellent ports, and millions of fertile vacant lands at low prices, while the return per acre in the view of the cost is greater than in any other section of the Union. No other State presents greater or more attractive inducements to immigrants or investors. It is a land "flowing with milk and honey," where land can be had at almost any price and on any terms by the industrious settler, whose only capital may be an honest heart and brawny arms.—W. J. Clay, in The Earth.

A Dublin Horse That Thinks.

Those who doubt that animals have the powers of thought and reason, may see a demonstration here in Dublin every day of the fact that, whether or not animals can think, they are at least endowed with instinct, intuition, or whatever you see fit to call it, sometimes to a degree that seems astonishing. When not out making trips, the gray horse which G. W. Fisher drives to his delivery wagon, stands in front of the store. As he is absolutely gentle and trustworthy, he is never hitched, but allowed to move about as he pleases. "Old Fritz" has an aversion to getting wet, and so great is his antipathy to water, that he even dislikes to have the sprays from the street sprinkler strike his legs. And no matter how often the wagon comes around, this remarkably instinctive horse always sees or hears it in time draw his delivery out into the middle of the street until it has passed, when he circles around and resumes his place in front of the store. He has done this hundreds of times, no matter how crowded the streets, he has never yet come in contact with any other vehicle or had an accident of any kind—and he never gets his legs wet. This is not force of habit, neither is it animal instinct as generally understood, for the horse very clearly performs the evolution to avoid bodily discomfort, and has a distinct understanding of the source whence it comes.—Dublin Telephone.

A girl naturally prefers short engagements. She can get so many more of them in.

That Arsenical Cattle Dip.

The arsenical dip has been used since September 25, 1906, to dip approximately 100,000 cattle for ticks and lice. It has given the caten satisfaction because it has injured the cattle; it satisfied inspectors because it has so far even a sure shot to kill ticks, when properly made and used. No results or imperfect work has far been reported to me. Dipping in hot weather is yet to be tried, but I have reason to believe that its action will be more prompt in hot weather than in winter, and that it will be found harmful to the cattle in the hottest weather. This dip is not approved by the United States Department of Agriculture for dipping to cross quarantine line, but its use is encouraged for the eradication of lice ticks.

To make 1000 gallons of dip boil 48 pounds of wash soda (sodium carbonate, crystals in 80 to 100 pounds of water (soft water is the best) until dissolved. This will take 60 minutes' boiling, with frequent stirring. Then pour in two pounds of pine tar, in a fine stream, during at the same time. Put into vat and add enough water to make a thousand gallons, and it is ready for use.

When making dip for refilling vat as needed while dipping, it is recommended that it be made in gallon lots (8 lbs. arsenic, 24 wash soda) and 1 gallon of water when made add enough water to make 100 gallons. This I term "stock solution," and it is five times the strength. When refilling use one gallon of the stock solution to every four gallons of water and the correct strength of the dip will be maintained.—Joseph W. Wier, Veterinary Inspector.

Eggs and Egg Supply.

How many eggs should a fowl lay make her profitable? I think on of our farms the hen that lays eggs a year pays for herself. I agree, however, that we should not be satisfied with hens that lay less than 200 eggs a year, for we want reasonable pay for the labor we

put upon them. At the present prices for eggs, 100 eggs will bring at least \$2, and they have not cost more than a dollar. But there is another element that enters into the cost of eggs, and that is the number of fowls that are lost from various causes. It is possible to lose so many fowls while they are growing up that this will reduce the profits of the ones that live. Some men figure out that they are making a profit of a dollar off their fowls, but at the end of the year can find no profit. They cannot understand why, if their birds are making them a profit of a dollar each, they should not have as many dollars in profits as they have birds. The fact is that they had a large number of fowls that were fed from one month to six and then died. In some flocks the cholera appeared, and in another group was the devastator, in others, skunks and cats reduced the size of the flock. It is the vanished cost of supporting those that reduced the profits on the eggs to about nothing. The longer I take care of the poultry the more I realize that success with fowls consists very largely in keeping them free from fat, lice and disease.

A new development in the egg trade which is now being brought before the notice of the London produce merchants is likely to turn out a great success. For some years poultry farming has been increasing more and more in South Australia, and the quantity of eggs produced is now so large that the local and commonwealth markets cannot absorb the supply.

The South Australian Government undertook to advance the freight on a small trial shipment, the producers themselves supplying the eggs, with the result that 700 cases of eggs were shipped by the steamship Britannia, and arrived in London on the 10th instant.—Co-Operator.

Sam Wigodsky and William Berger were drowned in the San Antonio River in an attempt to take an empty beer keg from the water. The boat in which they were working was overturned and both occupants were thrown into the water.

THE MORNING EAGLE

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BY CARNES & WALLACE

BRYAN, TEXAS, APRIL 14, 1907

PASSENGER TRAIN SCHEDULES.

H. & T. C. SCHEDULE
No. 3 North bound.....1:38 p. m.
No. 5 North bound.....12:46 a. m.
No. 2 South bound.....3:40 p. m.
No. 6 South bound.....2:48 a. m.

I. & G. N. SCHEDULE
No. 102 North bound.....10:20 a. m.
No. 101 South bound.....5:05 p. m.

Let us not sleep and slumber until the long bridge falls down or somebody goes through it.

Bryan needs that brick yard mighty bad in her business of growing.

Those who would overthrow Bryan and Culberson at one time will have to take a new tack. And when they do they will find their efforts still futile.

The governor sprung a ten minutes loop-the-gap act on the legislature. But even in this brief period things doubtless began to look different at \$5.00 per.

The Eagle is proud of the date lines sent out to the state papers under which are recounted the work of revival meetings and other religious bodies in Bryan, the city of churches and schools.

It's a nice thing for a fashionable young man like Harry K. Thaw that plaids and checks are stylish. The bars through which he will continue to look, pending a new trial, will have a more pleasing aspect.

No man is too good or too smart to be benefitted by the preaching of the gospel. Turn your eyes heavenward and your steps toward the house of God today, whether you be saint or sinner, and the night will find you a better man.

Brownville citizens will present President Roosevelt with a "big stick." Now if he can only use it in crushing that "dark conspiracy" to oust him from place and power, about which brainstorm mutterings still come from the White House.

Judging from the number of towns in the state that are figuring on cotton mill propositions, there will be at least fifteen or twenty mills built in Texas the coming year. Taken as a whole this means a great deal to Texas, and means that the tide is coming our way, and that in a few years the state that raises a third of the cotton in the United States will also manufacture a fair proportion of it. It means that the capital invested in cotton mills realizes that this is the logical location for them, and that Texas will some day take its true rank as a manufacturing state.—Caldwell News-Chronicle.

EVANGELIST WILHITE.

The following, taken from a Lawrence, Kan., paper of last Sunday relates a revival conducted by Evangelist Wilhite of the Christian church, who will be here to conduct a meeting in May:

Yesterday was a banner day at the Christian tabernacle in South Park. The day itself was perfect for the large crowds at all the services. The Sunday school in the morning passed all previous records in the attendance and if the tabernacle had been larger it is estimated that fully two thousand people would have been present last night. Every available seat was occupied and standing room was at a premium. Evangelist Wilhite preached the strongest sermon of the series so far on "The Bible." The sermon was preceded by the Bible drill in which a hundred children took part. The knowledge they had gained during the week under Mrs. Wilhite's direction, astonished the best Bible students in the audience and to the less informed it was a marvelous exhibition. The results of the work yesterday were fifteen additions to the church, making eighty-six in the first two weeks. From all indications Lawrence is in the midst of one of the great revivals in its history. Members of all the churches are participating in the work. The people of the city are not the only ones interested but the influence of the meeting is extending into the country. Farmers were present yesterday from eight and ten miles in the country. If the interest continues the tabernacle will probably be enlarged.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

Reported for the Eagle by T. R. Batte, attorney at law, real estate and rental agent, Bryan, Texas:

L. J. Cox and wife to Charles C. Barrow, 2 acres out of the S. F. Austin league No. 9; consideration, \$100.

D. D. Burkhalter et al. to J. B. Stevenson, interest in lots 1, 2, 3, 4 and 5, in block No. 170; consideration, \$425.

R. L. Pool to D. D. Greer et al., 49 acres out of the A. D. Houston league; consideration, \$50.

J. S. Mooring and wife to J. T. Maloney, lot No. 3, in block No. 256; consideration, \$16,000.

Ben Colbert to G. W. L. Carr, interest in 28 acres of land out of the D. Arnold league; consideration, \$420.

Mrs. Lucy McDougald to R. H. Harrison, 5 acres out of the John Austin league; consideration, \$625.

J. J. Settegast to J. S. Byars, 131 9-10 acres out of the George Powell 1-3 league survey; consideration, \$422.08.

Mrs. Will Winter to W. R. Ertle, a part of lots No. 4 and 5, in block No. 120; consideration, \$250.

Mrs. M. B. Smith to A. W. Royder, lots No. 2, 3, 4 and 5 in block No. 4, in Wellborn, consideration, \$100.

Mrs. M. W. Ford to Sophie W. Berryman, lots No. 10 and w. 1-2 of 9 in block No. 114; consideration, \$250.

M. F. Dansby to Giuseppe Campise et al., 458 acres out of the James Curtis league; consideration, \$18,000.

J. E. Player and J. O. Scrimshire to H. S. Spratt, lot No. 5 in block 3, in Millican; consideration, \$650.

SAN ANTONIO'S BEST

Effort at entertaining is made or the Annual Jolly Show, spring carnival, Knights of Omala and Battle of Flowers, week, April 16-20; many novel features this year. I. & G. N. R. R. will have in effect very low excursion rates to San Antonio.

See ticket agents, D. J. Price. Geo. D. Hunter, G. P. & T. A. A. G. P. & T. A. Palestine, Texas.

BREVITIES BUNCHED.

Dallas has a two-headed kitten. Vinita, (I. T.) Daily Chieftain is again a Democratic paper.

James Todd died suddenly at Flint, eight miles from Tyler, Tex.

Coffee crop of Brazil this year is estimated at 26,000,000 pounds.

Cold weather in Georgia has greatly damaged cotton and other crops.

The baby of J. M. Taylor of Claude, Tex., was drowned in a tub of water.

The little child of J. Lee Carlisle of Dublin, Tex., was kicked to death by a mule.

D. O. Mills has resigned as a director of the Southern Pacific Railway company.

National department of agriculture will establish a dairy demonstration farm near Denison.

The infant daughter of J. D. Bourman, residing near Roosevelt, Okla., was burned to death.

Mrs. Ignatz Lowmangit suicided at Portland, Ore., by jumping from a bridge sixty feet high.

Ellis E. Godlove of Brooklyn was found dead in a Memphis hotel. He left a letter to his wife.

Texas Master Bakers association meets next year at Galveston. J. T. Fischer of Houston was elected president.

While at Atlanta the private car of Mrs. Leslie Carter, the actress, was robbed of \$1,000 worth of diamonds and jewelry.

Two men tried to hold up Policeman Jackson at Dallas. He used his club and they fled. Jackson fired twice, but without effect.

Rev. Howard Mears, curate of St. Matthews Episcopal church, New York, was deposed from the ministry by Bishop Greer. He was arrested in the Tenderloin district. Mr. Mears contended his visit was merely to see conditions as they exist.

Price of picture post cards in Vienna has been increased 7 per cent.

A boarding house and three other buildings burned at Paris, Tex.

Edward Poe and John Jones were killed by a train near Quay, Okla.

Owing to several smallpox cases, Cache, Okla., is under quarantine.

At Tulsa, I. T., a fine flow of water impregnated with sulphur has been struck.

A pack of dogs killed in Dallas county eleven fine sheep belong to Ben E. Cabell.

Lignite beds near Palestine, Tex., are being investigated by Indiana capitalists.

Much coal is being shipped from Indian Territory to the Mexican National railway.

FOSTER'S WEATHER BULLETIN.

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Washington, D. C., April 13.—Last bulletin gave forecasts of disturbance to cross continent 12 to 16, warm wave 11 to 15, cool wave 14 to 18. Next disturbance will reach Pacific coast about 17, cross west of Rockies country by close of 18, great central valleys 19 to 21, eastern states 22. Warm wave will cross west of Rockies about 17, great central valleys 19, eastern states 21. Cool wave will cross west of Rockies about 20, great central valleys 22, eastern states 24.

This will be the most severe disturbance of April, beginning with a great warm wave and ending with frosts farther south than usual. Great extremes of temperature may be expected in all parts of the country and crop weather will be bad in northern parts of winter wheat section because of freezing and thawing.

Eastward drifting rains will precede the cool wave of this disturbance causing more than usual amount of moisture north of the Ohio and the Missouri rivers and about the great lakes and in the upper Mississippi valleys. At the same time dry weather will prevail south of these rivers and in middle and northern Atlantic states. Much warmer weather and about normal rainfall on the Pacific slope.

This disturbance will affect all parts of the continent and all weather features will be radical during the week covered by it. While rains may be expected in a large section about the great lakes, drouth conditions will prevail in Missouri, Kansas, Oklahoma and Texas. Florida will get good rains and New England will be dry.

Following April 13 very cool weather will prevail while rains and dry weather will be about as described above for week following. Temperatures will be entirely too cool for the growing crops. Last half of April will average much warmer than first half but cooler than usual east of the Rockies. The reverse for west of Rockies.

A burning back log fell on an aged negro near Gatesville, Okla., roasting her to death.

On conviction of rebating the Great Northern railroad was fined \$15,000 at Minneapolis.

Ralph Vorhees, who gave \$300,000 to Carroll colleges at Waukesha, Wis., died at Clinton, N. J.

A five-story flat burned at New York, entailing \$100,000 loss. Many occupants narrowly escaped.

Annual meeting of the Oklahoma Press association will be held May 10-11 at South McAlester.

Macon, Americus and Albany Railway company is to build a line between Macon and Albany, Ga.

Hungary will build 100,000 houses for farmers. They are to reimburse the government in installments.

The little son of Police Inspector Grant of New York was run over and killed by a touring automobile car.

By pushing a rock from under a window fourteen prisoners escaped from the Clark county, Kentucky, jail.

Refused a weekly pittance of 25 cents by the town authorities Mrs. Evelyn Gibbs of West Brookfield, Mass., suicided.

Texas state board of education on 6th purchased over \$100,000 worth of bonds for the benefit of the permanent school fund.

Frank Wilson of Chicago, thirteen years old, is accused of selling for \$35 to a second-hand dealer the family furniture.

A summer theater circuit, composed of San Antonio, Little Rock, Hot Springs, Fort Smith and Dallas, has been organized.

Farmers in the Rose Hill community of Kaufman county, Texas, will plant 500 acres in peanuts.

Residence of Jim Bauman, six miles north of Snyder, Okla., burned. His little child was cremated.

Nearly every Dallas contractor has granted the demand of union carpenters for \$3.60 per day of eight hours.

Saturday Half Holidays.

Washington, April 12.—President Roosevelt has promulgated an order giving Saturday half holidays during July, August and September to all mechanics, laborers and other employees at manufacturing and supply arsenals and depots under the war department and in offices of division and department headquarters of the army and in the engineer department at large.

Negro Kills Negro.

Shreveport, April 12.—Joe Harris, a negro jockey, known to the sporting world as Jockey Gans, was shot and instantly killed by Frank Flowers, another negro. Harris recently returned from Los Angeles, and was under contract to ride in the east. Flowers claims self-defense.

Favrot Free.

Baton Rouge, April 12.—Democratic Congressman George K. Favrot was set free Thursday night, after having been in jail continually for about five months under arrest on a charge of murder and awaiting the action of the grand jury. The second grand jury refused to indict him.

Motions Denied.

Los Angeles, April 12.—Motions to quash the indictments for rebating returned against the Santa Fe railroad by the Federal grand jury Feb. 19 were denied by Judge Wellborn in the Federal court.

For Beating His Baby.

Cuero, Tex., April 12.—O. A. Birmingham, the man who was arrested for beating his three-weeks-old child, entered a plea of guilty to aggravated assault in the county court and was sentenced to six months in jail and fined \$100.

Ogden Again Chosen.

Pinehurst, N. C., April 12.—Robert C. Ogden of New York was again elected president of the Conference For Education in the South.

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Call for Pretoria Rye. 84tf
Spotless Flour is the best. 109
Ed Hall sells Spotless Flour. 109
Weather rather nippy for the middle of April.
Dr. J. W. Cavitt, Office at Jenkin's drugstore. 81tf
Wiley Kelley of Wixon was in town yesterday.
Ed Hall sells Foster Butter for 25c lb; it is the best. 109
Call on Lord Clarendon at Cavitt's drug store. 113
The best judges of good liquor drink Pretoria Rye. 84tf
Prof. J. M. Moore of Kurten was in the city yesterday.
Dr. L. D. LeGear of Austin was in the city yesterday.
Dr. W. F. Odom of Kurten was in the city yesterday.
John Kasarek of Smetana was in the city yesterday.
Fresh Vegetables, Strawberries and Dewberries at Ed Hall's. 109
For the best of everything in life insure with R. G. Tabor. d tf
Mr. and Mrs. Gus. Hedtke left yesterday for Perry, Oklahoma.
Brown Leghorn eggs for sale; 50 cents setting. Phone 334. 110
Miss Nellie Rohde returned yesterday for a visit in Houston.
V. S. Mial was a visitor from the bottom yesterday.
Mrs. A. W. Royder of Wellborn left yesterday to visit in Dallas.
Dinner at Edinburg's restaurant for orders served promptly. 108
V. Brogdon and Sam Higgs went to the yesterday on a business trip.
Prof. and Mrs. J. L. Cobb of Alexandria left yesterday to visit at Hearne.
Ed Cross Stock Food for cows—milk butter producer.
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The management of the Bryan Roller Rink requests the Eagle to announce that after this date the rink will be open only on the nights of Wednesdays, Fridays and Saturdays and on Saturday afternoons. The skating season will close on May 4. Another professional skater will be here May 2, 3 and 4—Albert Waltz of New York—an acrobatic skater of great reputation.

Mr. and Mrs. Powell Winter, Mrs. Zimmerman and Mrs. E. H. Edge went to Willow Hole yesterday to attend the funeral of the little baby of Dr. and Mrs. J. Zulch, who have the sympathy of many friends in this city in consequence of their bereavement.

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B. W. Worthington was in from the Brazos bottom yesterday. Mr. Worthington has about recovered from the wound received by being accidentally shot in the breast by a falling pistol some time since.

Wilson & Derden have just received a large freight shipment and will have something to say the coming week regarding the new goods embracing all late novelties for men and women.

We sell Singer Sewing Machines with \$3.00 down and \$2.00 per month and charge no interest. T. A. Satterwhite. tf

W. D. McDonald and E. L. Byars arrived from Madisonville yesterday to attend the Presbytery.

Call for 22 or 114 and tell us your wants in the grocery line. Ed Hall keeps what you want. 109

Mr. and Mrs. P. A. Reed returned to Hearne yesterday accompanied by Miss Lucy Christian.

Our stock feed stuffs and grain are always fresh and complete. Phone 376. 111 Wilson Grain Company.

Cyrus McCullough left yesterday to visit Dr. Todd and family at Maverick, Runnels county.

House for rent one block from graded school, East Side. Mrs. Mary Lawrence. 108

I have a wagon and good double team for all kinds of hauling. Phone 325. Joe Kosh 99tf

Rev. C. W. Sydman arrived from Galveston yesterday to attend the Presbytery.

Lum Holden was a visitor from Tabor yesterday.

Try a Lord Clarendon Cigar at Cavitt's Drug Store. 113

Joe Noto called in the Eagle while in the city yesterday.

Gratis! Poultry Food for chickens. Phone 376. 111 Wilson Grain Company.

Phone us your orders for Sorghum Seed. 111 Wilson Grain Company.

Ed Carl was a visitor from Wellborn yesterday.

J. K. Presnal of Tabor was in the city yesterday.

J. W. Hicks was a visitor from Reliance yesterday.

J. M. Lawless of Macy was in the city yesterday.

Mrs. C. C. Dulaney and Miss Cora Dulaney were visitors from Thompson Creek yesterday.

Judge J. F. Robinson was a visitor from Houston yesterday.

For Sale—Good, gentle saddle pony. Apply to J. W. Hunnicutt. 110

E. Gandy, E. T. and W. E. Graham of Rock Prairie were in the city yesterday.

Wanted—To buy good medium sized Saddle Pony. Apply to A. L. Higgs, Bryan, R. F. D. No. 5. 110

George W. Norrell returned to Houston yesterday after attending the Brazos Presbytery a couple of days.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Dyess were here from Harvey yesterday, and the latter left to visit at Buffalo, Leon county.

Give me your orders for wire screen work for windows, doors, transoms, etc. J. W. Allen. Phone 299. 99tf

Prof. D. J. McDonald of Kurten and Prof. T. S. Minter of this city returned yesterday from a visit to Jewett.

Charles Edinburg serves or sells in bulk the Armstrong packing house products from Dallas. Try them for a change. 108

Headquarters for hacks in front of Ford's saloon. Phone 178. Prompt attention to calls. Ed Talley, Allie Hall and Buster Vaughan. 113

For fine fresh bread and cakes of all kinds call at the Texas Bakery. Careful attention to special orders. Phone 86. Mrs. Otto Boehme. d tf

If you think of buying a piano you cannot afford to miss Goggan & Bros'. sale now going on in Bryan. They sell reliable goods. d tf

Buchanan & Foreman received 250 head of cattle yesterday from Montgomery. J. A. Foreman has returned from a business trip to that place.

Walter Downard of Bryan was here Monday to receive a car of engines consigned to Henry Rhodes of Bryan. —Madisonville Meteor.

J. W. Ayers called on the Eagle yesterday and informs us that he has watermelon vines with small watermelons on them near Pitts Bridge.

Remember the revival services at the Baptist church today. Dr. Risner will address the Sunday school at 9:45 this morning and preach at 11 a. m., and at night.

Superintendent I. J. Ray of the Bryan Christian Sunday school has accepted an invitation to organize a Sunday school this afternoon at Union Hill, between Bryan and College.

Don't be bothered with flies and other insects. Ring phone 299 and leave orders for J. W. Allen to fix your screen or put in new ones. Office up-stairs in Howell Building. Office hours 6 to 9 a. and 12 to 1 p. m. 99tf

A woman is entitled to the best of everything, especially in a sewing machine that she is expected to operate herself. We sell the Singer under the unqualified guarantee that it is the best machine made. T. A. Satterwhite. 104tf

L. F. Chmiesky has returned from a visit to Houston and Galveston. He was in Galveston the other day when a steamer arrived with 1500 emigrants. One family of three, relatives of John Olinek of this county, who came on the ship, arrived here yesterday morning.

Are your children taking music lessons? If so you need a piano for them. They will learn faster if they have one at home. You can purchase one from Groggan Bros. on easy terms. They are the largest dealers in music in Texas. Call and see their pianos at Cavitt's Drug Store. They will be here only a few days longer. Don't miss this opportunity. Its one in a life time

Entire change of program of moving pictures at the opera house Monday. Special matinees Monday, Wednesday and Saturday. Doors open at 3:30; performance begins at 4 o'clock. Performance regularly every night except Sunday. Doors open at 7:30; performance begins at 8 o'clock. Admission 5 and 10 cents. The Eagle is informed by the management that good crowds attended yesterday afternoon and last night. It

The pianos Thos. Goggan & Bros. shipped here are going fast. You had better see them before it is too late. This sale will only last a few days longer. They are bargains and must be sold rather than ship them. Mr. Sherrod has received orders to go to Austin to attend the sale there. This the first time in the history of the old reliable house of Thos. Goggan & Bros. they ever had a sale. They are selling good goods at low prices, thereby celebrating their 41st year in the music business. 1t

CANNON WORRIED.

Appropriation Bill May Bring About Resignation.

Austin, April 13.—The provision in the general appropriation bill as it finally passed both branches of the legislature and now with the governor, which prohibits the creation of any deficiencies, has thrown State Purchasing Agent Cannon into a panic. He said that he is seriously considering resigning his office if this law is to be enforced. The bill, in plain terms, makes the state purchasing agent responsible for any expenditures made for any of the state eleemosynary or other institutions coming within this department beyond the appropriation made and named in the act. "As many of the institutions buy their merchandise and some time after send me the invoice," said Mr. Cannon, "I have no way in the world of ascertaining when the appropriation is exhausted, consequently a deficiency of \$10,000 and perhaps \$20,000 may be created before I know anything about it. Under this appropriation bill I am responsible for such expenditure, and I do not propose to jeopardize my bondsman in any way. I would rather resign first."

In another provision of the bill it says that anyone selling to the state any merchandise after the appropriation is exhausted does so at his peril, and the state will not be responsible for such debts. This is a serious condition of affairs and may work considerable injury to the eleemosynary institutions.

ADVISES AWAITED.

In the Meantime Nearly Two Hundred Japs Are Being Detained.

San Francisco, April 13.—Two hundred and ninety-five Japanese laborers, who came on the Pacific Mail company's steamship Corea, are detained on the steamship pending advices from the department of immigration at Washington as to whether the local immigration authorities shall let them proceed by steamer to British Columbia. Their passports are for Honolulu and Immigration Commissioner North is doubtful as to passing them on to their port of destination. The Corea is the first steamer to land Japanese since the new law was passed.

TEN INCHES OF SNOW.

Wisconsin Was In the Throes of a Blizzard on Saturday.

Milwaukee, April 13.—A blizzard was general throughout Wisconsin Saturday. Green Bay reports a fall of ten inches of snow. Street car service and telephone and telegraph lines are hampered.

Cold Weather.

Nashville, April 13.—The most unseasonable weather for years prevailed here Saturday. Snow fell. The thermometer registered at the freezing point. Advices from southern Kentucky and north Alabama indicated early fruit had been killed.

NEW MANAGEMENT.

Baron Goto's Company in Control of the Manchurian Railway.

Tokio, April 13.—The management of the Manchurian railway was transferred to Baron Goto's company on April 1. The Japanese government commenced withdrawing the remnant of troops employed in Manchuria at that time. This work was completed April 8, whereupon the imperial government at Peking warmly thanked Japan, who was expected to reduce the railway guard to less than one-half the number of men as stipulated by the treaty negotiated at Portsmouth, N. H., which limited the number to five men per kilometer.

TRIVIAL CAUSE.

Shoots Three Relatives Because of Reproof For Leaving Window Open.

New York, April 13.—Angered because he had been reproved for leaving a window open near his bed all night, Frederick Hattheson shot and probably fatally wounded his nephew, George Hoffman, with whom he had lived, Mrs. Hoffman and Arthur Goubeiman, a nephew of the Hoffmans. Mattheson has been ill for some time.

YERKES RETIRES.

Commissioner of Internal Revenue Will Enter Practice of Law.

Washington, April 13.—John W. Yerkes, commissioner of internal revenue, has resigned and the president has accepted the resignation. He will leave the service of the government to practice law.

Degrees Conferred.

Pittsburg, April 13.—One of the impressive ceremonies in connection with the rededication of the Carnegie institute was held Saturday forenoon in the music hall when honorary degrees were conferred on distinguished foreign and American guests by the Western University of Pennsylvania. Rev. Samuel B. McCormick, chancellor of the university, presided.

Given Three Days to Leave.

Gomel, Russia, April 13.—A band of reactionist rowdies armed with revolvers and knives paraded the principal street here, entering all the Jewish stores and ordering the merchants, under pain of death, to leave the town within three days.

Engine Jumps Track.

Fort Worth, April 13.—While running at a slow rate near New Albany the locomotive hauling the Fort Worth trade excursion train jumped the track. No one was injured.

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TRIAL AETERMATH.

Next Move of Thaw's Lawyers Now Awaited.

New York, April 13.—Absolute in-
action ensued in the Thaw case Satur-
day following the intense strain and
feverish interest of the many weeks
that the trial was under way. None
of the lawyers in the proceedings were
at their offices during the early hours
of the morning, all of them having
been completely exhausted by the long
wait for the jury to bring in a report.
There was some confusion also as to
just what the attorneys will do, talk-
ing for the Thaw side, in the future.

Harry Thaw spent a restless night
in the toms, but according to an at-
tendant slept three or four hours in
the course of the night. He was up
early, and after breakfast spent con-
siderable time looking through the
newspapers. Reporters were on hand
early and sent up a note to him. They
only received a reply that he had noth-
ing to say just at this time. To a
question from the newspaper men ask-
ing what lawyer they should see to
obtain information regarding his sec-
ond trial he replied that he did not
care to say until he had consulted with
his family.

The first question to be decided by
the Thaw side is that of applying for
the release of the defendant on bail.
District Attorney Jerome has said the
second trial can hardly be reached be-
fore October or November, and it will
be urged that it be a great hardship
to keep Thaw in prison during the
months of waiting when the family
stands ready to furnish surety in an
ample sum to insure his presence
whenever the second trial is to be
called. If this application is made,
however, it will be strongly opposed
by Mr. Jerome, who holds the prison-
er's wealth should make no difference
in the treatment to be accorded him,
and that he, should remain in the
toms just as any other person would
be obliged to do. The district attorney
feels he would not be warranted, as a
public officer, in taking any more leni-
ent attitude in view of the fact that
seven men voted for conviction of mur-
der in the first degree; that the seven
men, of what is generally regarded as
a very high class jury, looked on Thaw
as sane and believed that his act was
one of deliberation and premeditation
in spite of the testimony of experts.
Mr. Jerome takes it as holding him
strictly to his duty in pressing again
for conviction of murder in the first
degree. Mr. Jerome also will oppose
any motion by the defense for the re-
moval of the case to another county.

Various rumors were in circulation
and that there was to be a new align-
ment of counsel for Thaw and that
there might be a re-engagement of for-
mer Judge W. K. Olcott, who was
originally retained and who withdrew
rather than agree to submit to any
defense except that of insanity.

Delphin M. Delmas, however, denied
that he had withdrawn from the case
or had been superseded. He was the
first caller Thaw had at the toms Sat-
urday. "I want to say to the newspa-
per men," said he, "that I am still
Harry Thaw's counsel. I am going to
see him now, and I may have a state-
ment to make later." Delmas declined
to say whether Thaw had summoned
him or if he had come at the request
of Mrs. William Thaw.

MONUMENT UNVEILED.

In Remembrance of the Rough Riders
of Spanish-American War.

Washington, April 13.—President
Roosevelt made a speech in which he
touched mainly on patriotism and good
citizenship at the dedication Friday
of the monument erected to the mem-
ory of the First cavalry, United States
volunteers—the Rough Riders of the
Spanish-American war, in the national
cemetery at Arlington.

Mrs. Allyn K. Capron, the widow of
Captain Capron, who fell at Las Gue-
mas, unveiled the monument. Rev.
Dr. D. J. Stafford of St. Patrick's
church, this city, made the dedication
address and Chaplain H. A. Brown,
U. S. A., pronounced the benediction.

Regular troops and part of the Na-
tional guard of the District of Colum-
bia participated. A distinguished com-
pany assembled on the stand from
which the president delivered his ad-
dress.

President Roosevelt referred to the
peculiar gratification of members of
the regiment in seeing the memorial
erected to the memory of their dead
comrades, and spoke of the funeral
service that Chaplain Brown held over
those killed in the Guasimas fight.
"The first fight we saw, the fight in
which we served under the afterwards
Lieutenant general of the United States
army, who is with us today, General
Young."

The monument is the design of Mrs.
Capron. It is a monolith, the largest
of its kind in Arlington. It is made
of Vermont granite, and stands four-
teen feet high on a base six feet.
The memorial bears the names of more
than 100 former members of the re-
giment who died either in Cuba or after
the return of the regiment to the
United States. At the conclusion of
the ceremonies, and while the audience
remained standing, a bugler sounded
"taps."

INFANTS CREMATED.

Babe of Three Weeks and Child of

Three Years Burned to Death.

Vinita, I. T., April 13.—While Lee
Crech and his wife were in a field
breaking a colt their house caught fire
and their two children, a baby three
weeks old and a little girl three years
old, were burned to death. When the
father and mother saw the fire their
house was ready to collapse. It is sup-
posed that the fire caught from the
fireplace.

Cuts Throat.

Mobile, Ala., April 13.—Dr. M. T.
Grossart committed suicide here by
cutting his throat with a razor. He
conducted a drug store at New Or-
leans.

THAW JURY DISAGREES.

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the guards. The court room itself was
half empty. Only the newspaper men,
the court attaches and a few favored
friends were allowed to hear the ver-
dict. Justice Fitzgerald feared a dem-
onstration of some sort should the gen-
eral public be admitted.

It was 2:45 o'clock when the jury
filed in. The afternoon was dark and
rainy, and the electric bulbs in the
chandeliers had been glowing for an
hour or more.

Harry Thaw had been waiting for a
summons to face the jurors since
morning. He felt that Friday would
bring a crisis, and that either a verdict
would be reached or Justice Fitzger-
ald would discharge the jurors.

THAW DISAPPOINTED.

Said He Could Hardly Expect Anything
Else Owing to Events.

New York, April 13.—Harry K.
Thaw, when he returned to the toms,
gave out the following statement:

"I believe that every man on the
jury possessing average intelligence,
excepting possibly Mr. Bolton, compre-
hended the weight of evidence and bal-
anced it for acquittal. All my family
bid good-bye with courage. I trust
(D. V.) we all may keep well."

To his attorneys Thaw said he was
deeply disappointed. "But I could
hardly expect anything else in view
of the events of the past few days,"
he added.

Took Eight Ballots.

New York April 13.—On the first
ballot the Thaw jury stood eight for
conviction of murder in the first de-
gree and for acquittal on the ground
of insanity. Eight ballots were taken.
The jury spent two nights dozing in
chairs.

Clergyman Suicides.

Atlanta, Ga., April 13.—Rev. Frank
Riley, formerly a member of the South
Georgia Methodist conference, com-
mitted suicide at his home here Friday
locking himself in his room, barricad-
ing the door and turning on the gas.
Despondency, induced by ill health,
is believed to have been the cause
of the act. He leaves a widow and
seven children.

WRONGED WOMANHOOD.

Juror Steele Said This Received Little
Consideration.

New York, April 13.—Wilbur F.
Steele, juror No. 9, said: "There was
plenty of disparagement between the
opinions expressed by the jurors. We
considered insanity in many phases,
but did not give the subject of wronged
womanhood any lengthy debate, in
fact, scarcely any. It was touched
upon, and quickly dropped. The ques-
tion which was considered at unusual
length was whether Thaw was insane
at the time he shot Stanford White,
and whether, at that moment, he was
responsible for his actions."

Juror Joseph B. Bolton said: "There
was no question of the unwritten law
law or of 'dementia Americana' in our
deliberations. We considered the case
from a purely legal standpoint. We
were not swayed by emotion."

"The jury took no stock in 'brain-
storms,'" said Juror George H. Fecke.
"We did not pay any undue amount of
attention to the testimony of the alien-
ists, either. It was after Mr. Denec
had read some of Thaw's letters that
the latter decided that there was a
reasonable doubt as to Thaw's sanity.
Denec then joined the four men who
stood for acquittal on the ground of
insanity."

Mr. O'Reilly of Thaw's counsel said:
"I confess that I am disappointed. I
really expected an acquittal. Perhaps
now, in view of the verdict, Mr. Del-
mas made a mistake in using the term
'dementia Americana.' But he
made an honest effort, and it might
have been a mistake of judgment."

Attorney Gleason said: "The disa-
greement of the jury was a disappoint-
ment of course. The insistence upon
the unwritten law characterized as
'dementia Americana' was unfortu-
nate. If, instead of this, counsel had
dwelt upon the statutory insanity of
Thaw, which was plainly proven, Thaw
might have been acquitted."

Mrs. William Thaw, mother of the
prisoner, sent out the following mes-
sage in response to requests made for
a statement: "Mrs. Thaw has nothing
to say. She has made no statement
since she has been in New York;
neither will she make any."

Mrs. Evelyn Nesbit Thaw said: "I
can't understand it. I don't see why
they couldn't have come to some agree-
ment."

A reporter said to Mrs. Thaw: "The
jury stood seven to five for convic-
tion."
"I don't believe it," she cried em-
phatically. "They ought to have ac-
quitted him on the evidence."

Suits Postponed.

El Paso, April 13.—At the request
of the government the sixty-five se-
questration suits involving title to
land in the lower part of the city have
been postponed by United States Judge
Maxey until the boundary commission
can pass upon the matter.

Burns Gets Decision.

Los Angeles, April 13.—Jimmy
Burns (George Memsic) of Chicago
defeated Johnny (Cyclone) Thompson
of Sycamore, Ill., here earning a
twenty-round decision.

Oklahoma Wins.

Norman, Okla., April 13.—The Uni-
versity of Oklahoma defeated Mis-
souri university in their annual debate
here.

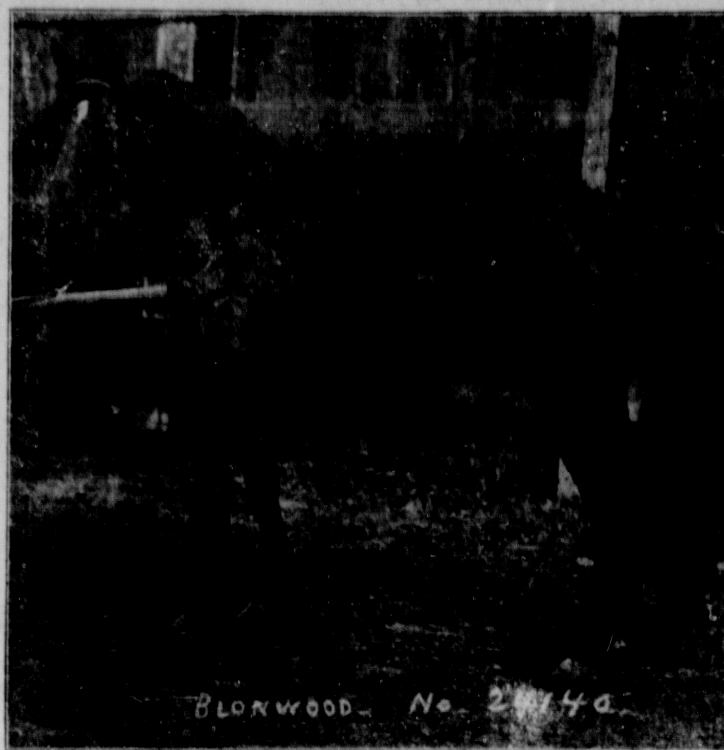
Peculiar Fire.

Waxahatche, Tex., April 13.—The
woodwork of the cab of a Katy loco-
motive caught on fire here and was
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